

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
TYLER DIVISION**

**DATE: July 8, 2020**

**JUDGE: JOHN D. LOVE**

**REPORTER:**

**LAW CLERK: Susan Stradley**

**COURTROOM DEPUTY: Sharon Baum**

<b>THOMAS S. SCHAEFER</b>  <b>V</b>  <b>EDWARD SLOAN AND ASSOCIATES, INC.</b>	<b>CASE NO: 6:20cv66</b>  <b>SCHEDULING CONFERENCE (PHONE)</b>
<b>ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF</b>	<b>ATTORNEY FOR DEFENDANTS</b>
Joseph Davidson	Keith Wier

On this day, came the parties by their attorneys and the following proceedings were had:

**OPEN: 2:02**

**ADJOURN: 2:12**

<b>TIME:</b>	<b>MINUTES:</b>
2:02	Case called. The parties announced they are on the phone and ready. Judge states he is in receipt of your foundational documents.
	Mr. Davidson responds.
	Mr. Wier responds.
2:04	Judge asks about mediation, have you agreed on a mediator or mediation?
	Mr. Davidson states they have not discussed a mediator at this time.
	Mr. Wier does not oppose mediation.
2:05	Judge asks why the mediation issue was not discussed. Judge gives the parties until Friday, July 10 to submit an agreed mediator. Judge next discusses a deadline to mediate by December 1, 2020. Judge brings up the issue of consent.
2:08	Mr. Davidson's client is considering.

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